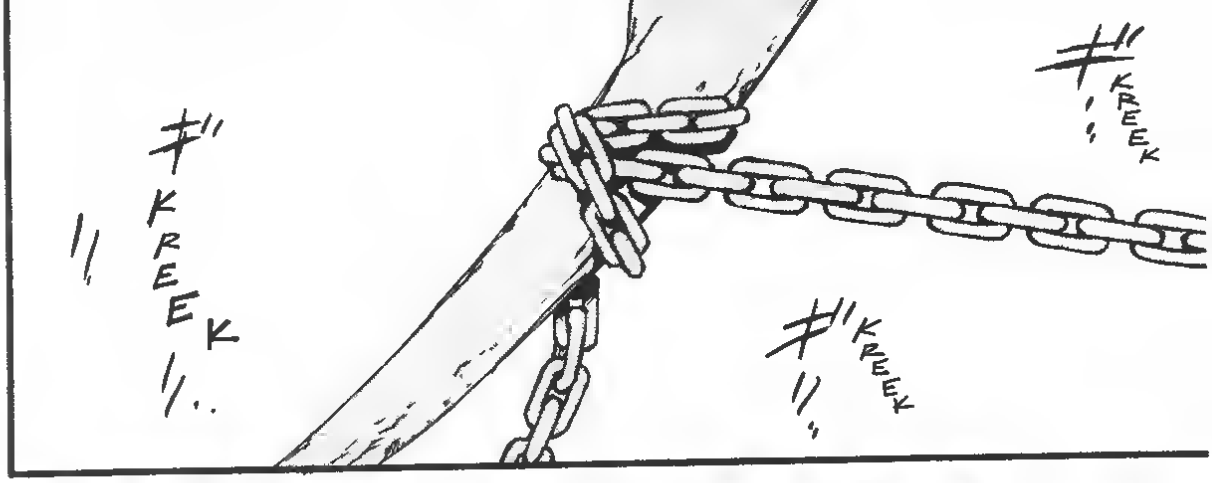
AFTER RECEIVING HIS DISTRESS SIGNAL, WE HAVE LOST CONTACT WITH LEONARDO WATCH!
THIS IS AN EMERGENCY ALERT!
THERE IS A CRITICAL SITUATION IN PROGRESS!
REPORTING TO ALL UNITS!
FOCUS ALL OF YOUR ENERGY TO SEARCH AND GUARD...!!
THERE IS A POSSIBILITY THAT THIS SITUATION MAY HAVE A PERCEPTION DIFFICULTY RATING BEYOND LEVEL 4.
FOCUS ALL OF YOUR ENERGY TO SEARCH AND GUARD...!!
I REPEAT!


KREEK
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JUST WHAT
DO YOU MEAN BY THIS?

THEY SAY A CORNERED MOUSE WILL BITE A CAT, BUT...
WHAT DO YOU THINK WOULD HAPPEN TO THE MOUSE AFTER PROVOKING THE CAT IN SUCH A MANNER? CAN YOU IMAGINE?
...HEH!
YOU KNOW,
SO YOU WOULD RESORT TO A SURPRISE ATTACK?
IT IS BEYOND YOUR ABILITY TO DUEL WITH THE POWER OF THE EYES,

KREE
KREE
KREE
IF YOU CANNOT CONSIDER EVEN THAT,
ITS EARS AND NOSE WOULD BE RIPPED OFF, ITS FLESH AND BONES SMASHED TO BITS, ITS LIMBS PLUCKED FROM ITS BODY, ITS BELLY SLICED OPEN AND ITS ENTRAILS DRAGGED OUT.
THEN YOU ARE
ISN'T THAT QUITE AN AGONIZING WAY TO DIE?
JERK
!?
SWISH
A FOOL.
TAK
TAK
TAK
TAK

SHA
...I KNEW IT!
MY GUESS WAS RIGHT ON THE MARK!

KREEK
HIS ABILITY TO MANIPULATE VISION ALLOWS HIM TO HIDE HIS ACTIONS.
TO AVOID DETECTION, IT'S IDEAL FOR HIM TO MAKE HIMSELF AS QUIET AND NIMBLE AS POSSIBLE.
IN OTHER WORDS,
HE'S EXTREMELY LIGHT!
EVEN MY WEIGHT IS ENOUGH TO PULL HIM AROUND!
YOU'RE QUITE EAGER, AREN'T YOU?
WELL, IT WOULD BE STRANGE IF YOU DIDN'T RESIST A LITTLE BIT.
I EXPECTED THIS MUCH.
BUT,
I WONDER
HOW LONG YOU CAN LAST...!!

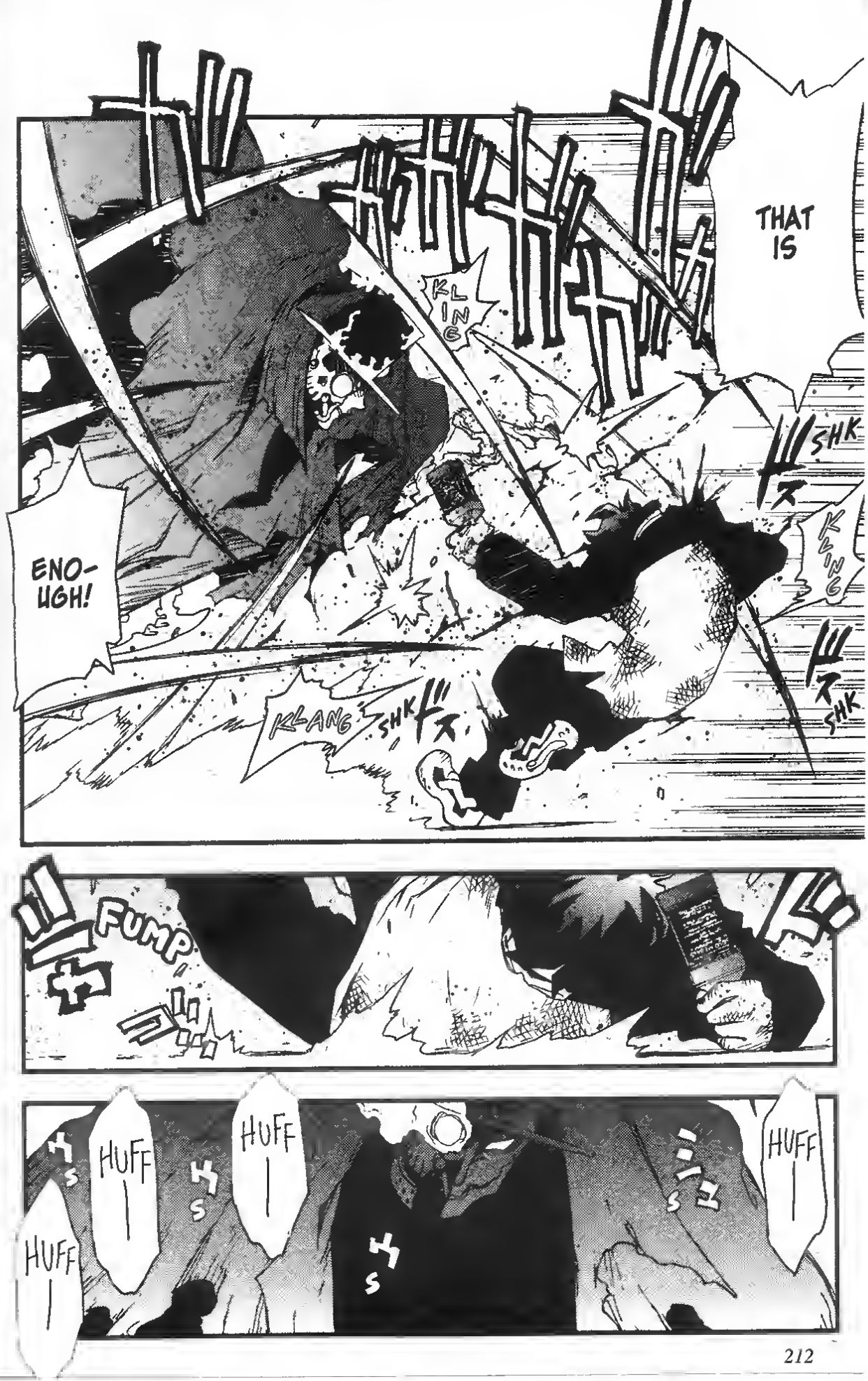
...I REMOVED HIS MEANS OF COMMUNICATION...
A TRANSMITTER WOULD HAVE BEEN SCANNED FROM THE BEGINNING...
NO...!! WHY ARE THEY RETURNING!?
DID HE GIVE THEM SOME KIND OF SIGN!?
IT CAN'T...
THERE ARE TOO MANY OF THEM FOR THAT...
COULD IT BE A COINCIDENCE?
BUT ONCE I TAKE OVER HIS BODY, THEY WON'T EVER CATCH ME...
VERY WELL...
THE FASTEST OPERATION I CAN PERFORM REQUIRES 30 MINUTES...

KA-
TUNK
EMER-
GENCY
SUR-
GERY.
THIS
IS
fwit

GWAAAAAHH
BM
BM
BM
BM
IT'S FUTILE.
EVEN IF YOU USE THOSE EYES TO READ MY MOVE-MENTS...
YOUR BODY CANNOT REACT FAST ENOUGH TO FOLLOW THEM...!!

I NEED TO HURRY...!!
I HAVE TO COMPLETE THE TAKE-OVER BEFORE THEY ARRIVE...!!
sst
ka-ching!
FWOO

KLANG
...YOU
LITTLE BRAT ...!!


THAT IS
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ENO-UGH!
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FUMP
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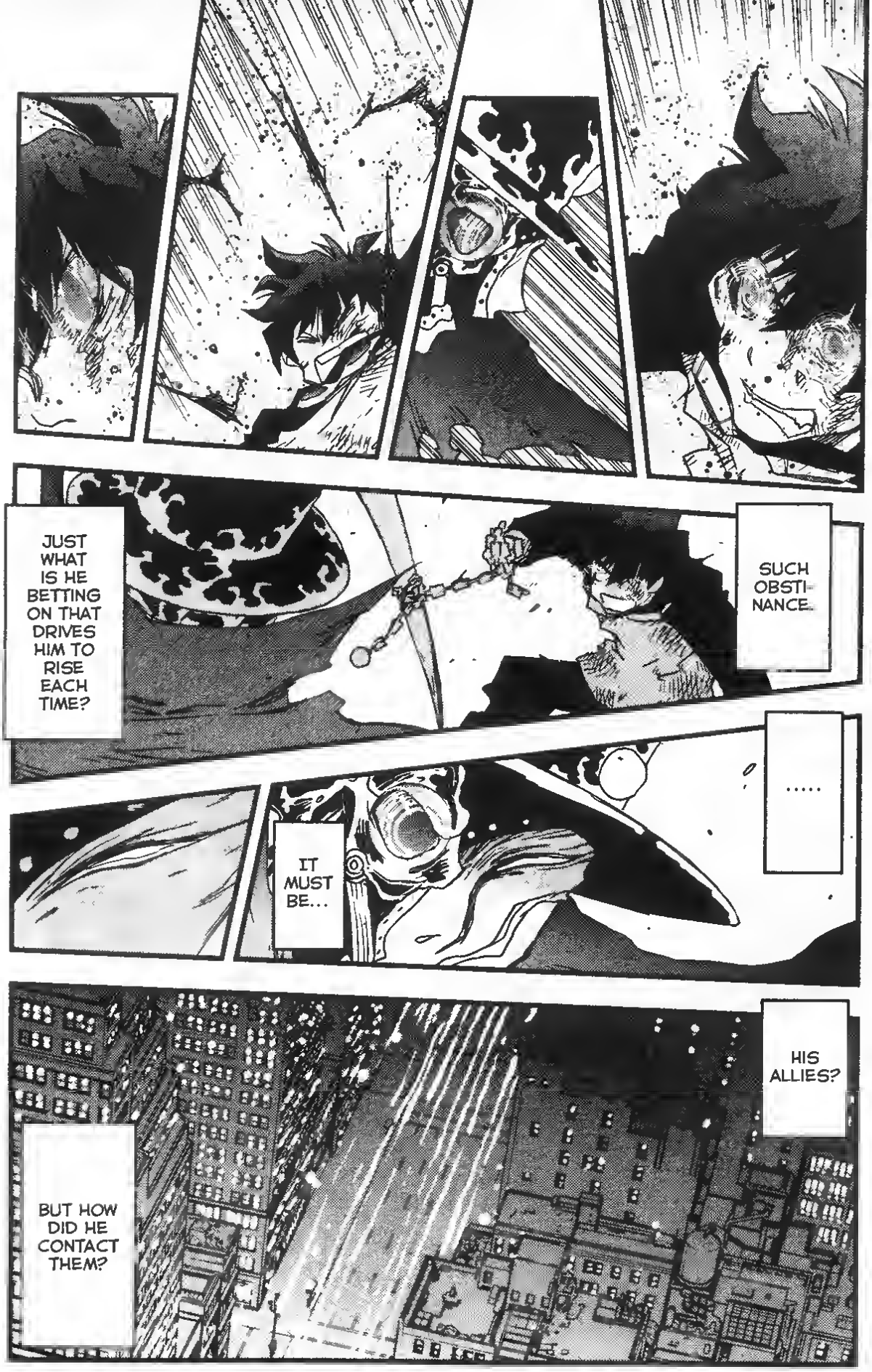
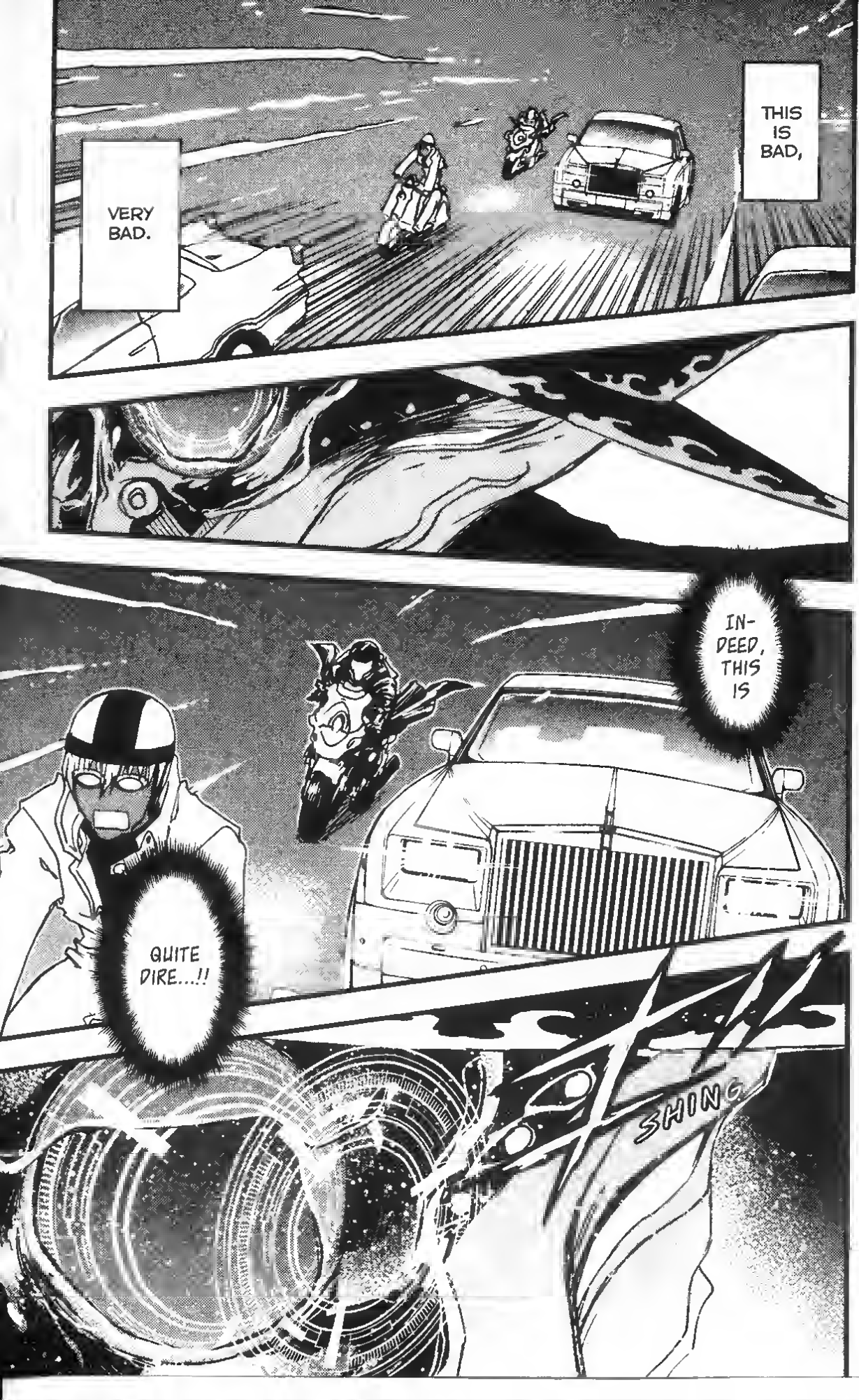
HUFF
SH
SH
SH
SH
SH
GYA
AA
AA
HHH
I CAN'T SEEM TO HIT HIS VITALS.
ZHK
HMPH...
KLA
ANG
YOU FEEL IT, DON'T YOU? THIS HEAT?
HOW RECK-LESS.
IT IS MOST CERTAINLY SEARING YOUR FLESH.
PERHAPS IT MIGHT BOIL YOUR BRAIN AS WELL!
BY SWINGING ME AROUND LIKE THIS, HE HINDERS MY AIM.
DOES THIS MEAN I AM BEING OUT-CLASSED FOR THE MOMENT?
GH-
GA-
AH


JUST WHAT IS HE BETTING ON THAT DRIVES HIM TO RISE EACH TIME?
SUCH OBSTI-NANCE...
.....
IT MUST BE...
HIS ALLIES?
BUT HOW DID HE CONTACT THEM?


THIS IS BAD,
VERY BAD.
IN-DEED, THIS IS
QUITE DIRE...!!
SHING

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BSH
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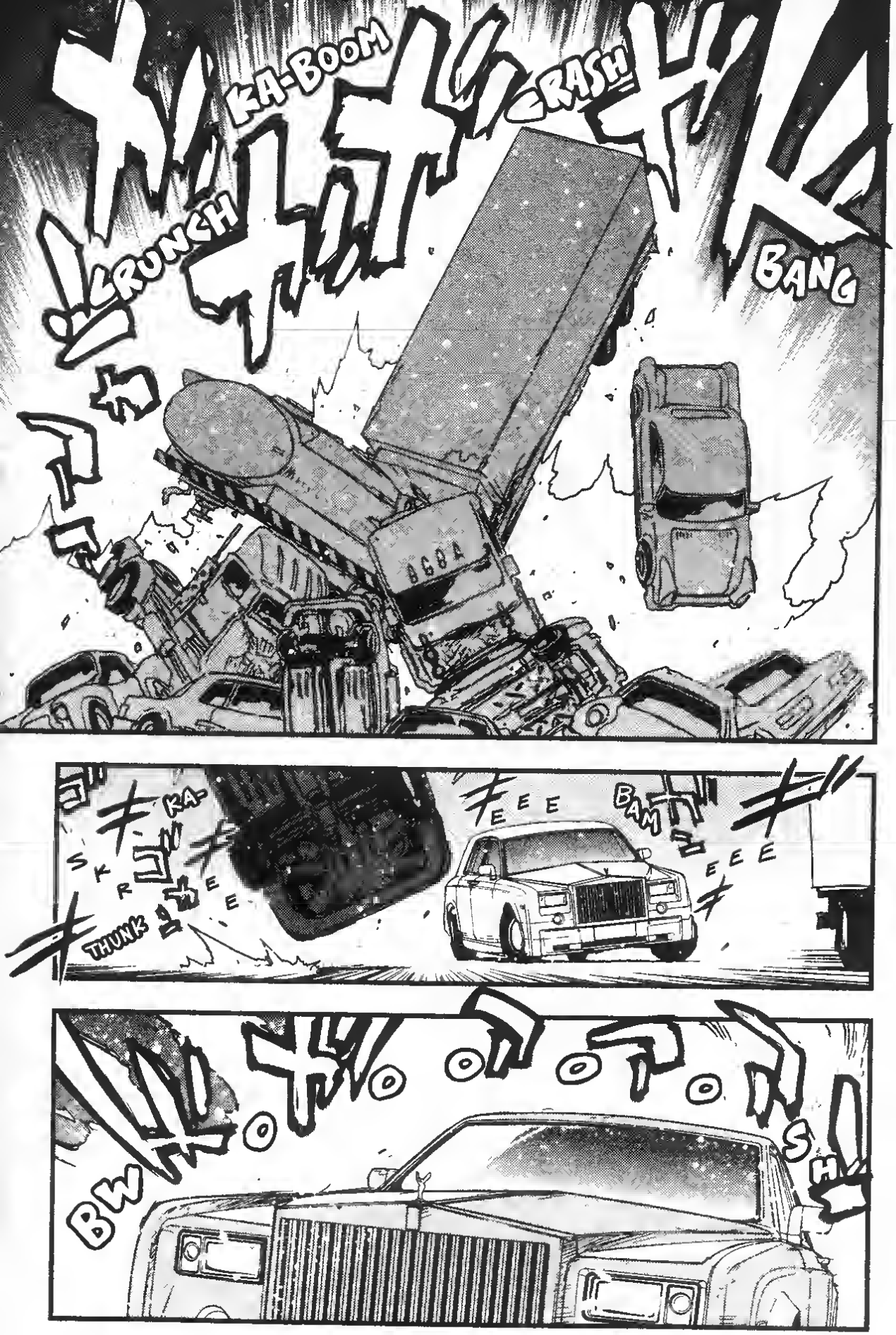
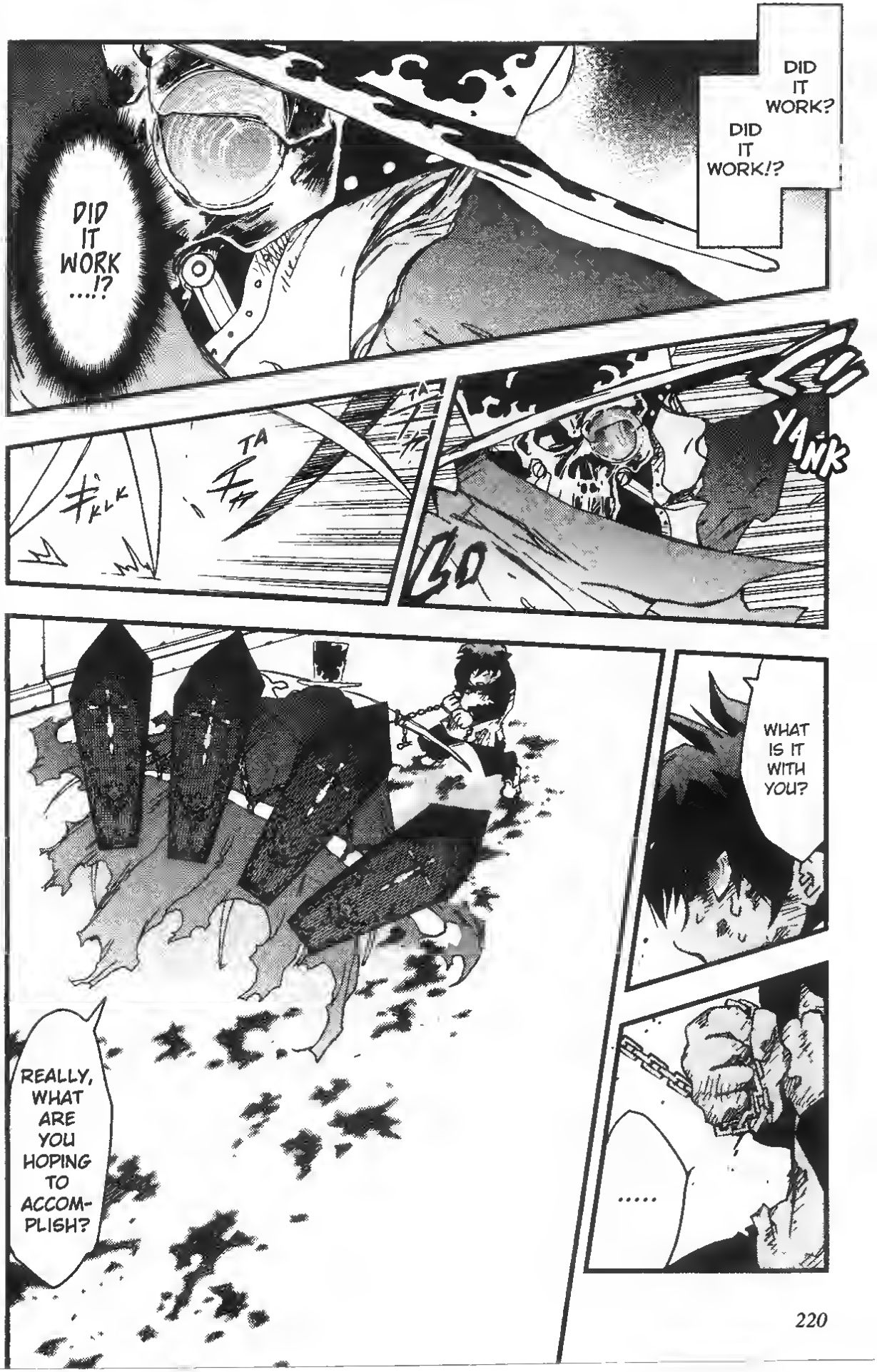

KA-BOOM
CRASH
CRUNCH
BANG
SKR
KA-
THUNK
EEE
BAM
EEE
BWOOO

BWO
BWO
BWO
WHAT ON EARTH...
WHAT IS THIS!?
ARE YOU ALRIGHT ...!?
ZAPP ...!!
THIS HAS GOTTA BE IT...
BOSS,

I'VE HAD MY EYES CONTROLLED BY LEO BEFORE...
WITHOUT A DOUBT, THAT WAS EXACTLY THE SAME FEELING.
IF THAT AIN'T HIM,
THEN THERE'S ANOTHER "HOLDER OF THE EYES OF THE GODS" NEARBY ...!!
DID IT WORK?


DID IT WORK?
DID IT WORK!?
DID IT WORK ....!?
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YANK
GO
WHAT IS IT WITH YOU?
.....
REALLY, WHAT ARE YOU HOPING TO ACCOM-PLISH?

!!
UNGH...
...NN...
...SO THAT'S IT.
FOR YOUR SIS-TER...
BLOOD ...?
...HUH ...!?
WHAT'S THAT SMELL...
...!?

GET AWAY ...!!
MICH-ELLA!!
!?
...WHERE'S TOBY!?
WHY ARE YOU HERE...!?
...BIG BRO-THER!?
THAT'S NOT IMPOR-TANT RIGHT NOW...!!
SHF
SHF
SHF
SHF
SHF
JUST GET OUT OF HERE!!
SLIP

fwit
THIS IS YOUR FAULT.
IF YOU WOULD ONLY COMPLY WITH MY WISHES.
SHE WOULDN'T HAVE TO BE INVOLVED.
THIS IS MY FINAL WARNING.
ACCEPT THE PROCEDURE OBEDIENTLY.
OR WOULD YOU RATHER WATCH YOUR SISTER BE SLICED TO PIECES?

FWUMP
!?

FWISH
RUN ...!!
BIG BRO-THER!!
GRAB

GAAA

BAM
KRIK
A
A
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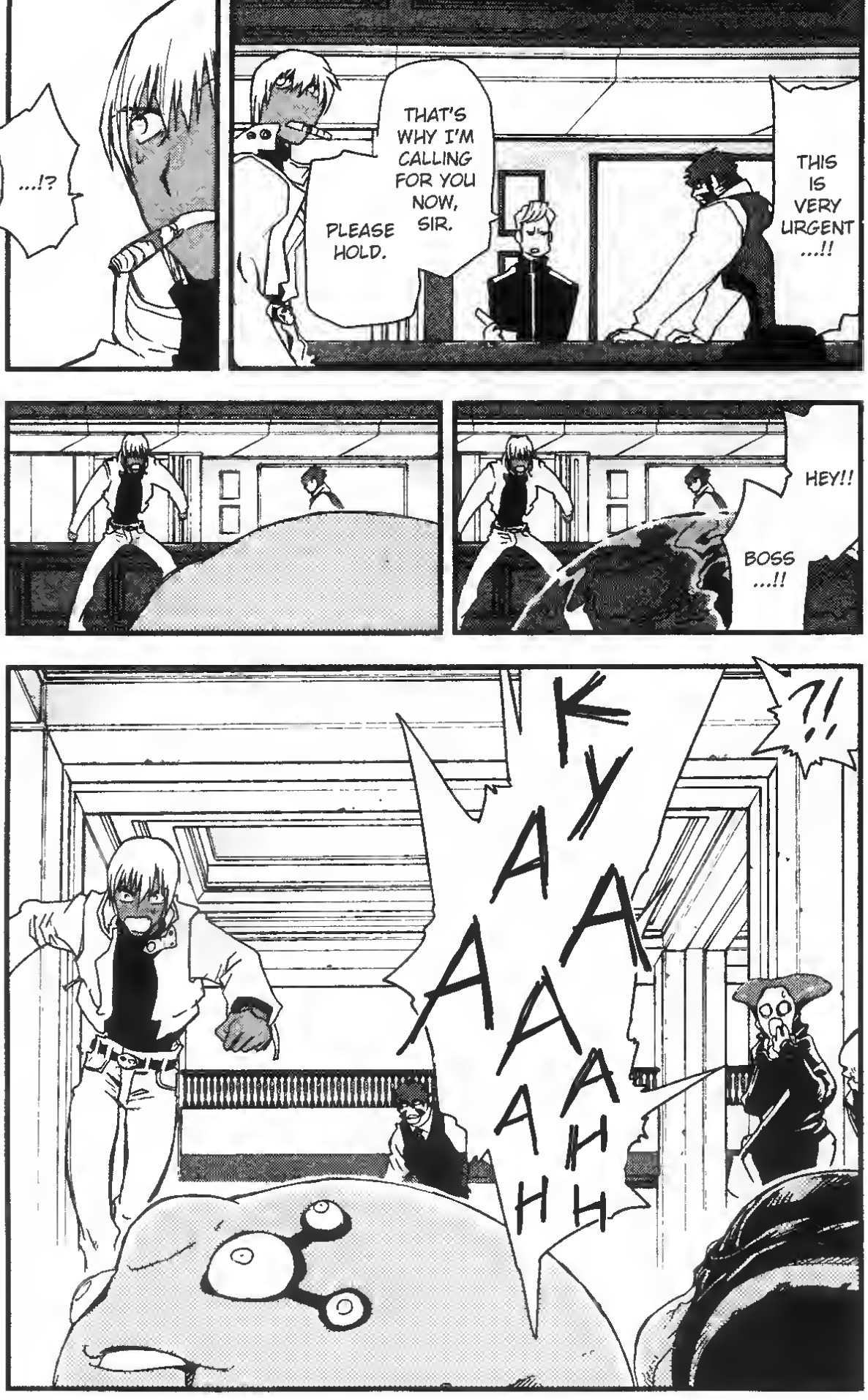
AAH

BAM
BAM
BAM
KRAK
PKK


...!?
PLEASE HOLD.
THAT'S WHY I'M CALLING FOR YOU NOW, SIR.
THIS IS VERY URGENT ...!!
HEY!!
BOSS ...!!
KYAAAAAAHHHH
?!

YOU WRETCHES,
YOUR ACTIONS CANNOT BE UNDONE!
THE EXTENT OF HOW IMPORTANT THIS EYE IS...
YOU OUGHT TO KNOW THAT FIRSTHAND, AND YET...
THE PROGRESS OF MANKIND HAS BEEN SET BACK 100 YEARS BY YOU HORRID CHILDREN!
THE COST OF THIS OFFENSE IS ABSOLUTE DEATH...

I WAS GOING TO KEEP YOU ALIVE,
AND MERELY RECORD DATA...
BUT NO LONGER!! YOUR EXISTENCE INFURIATES ME!!
LEAVE YOUR EYES AND BE GONE!
ZHK

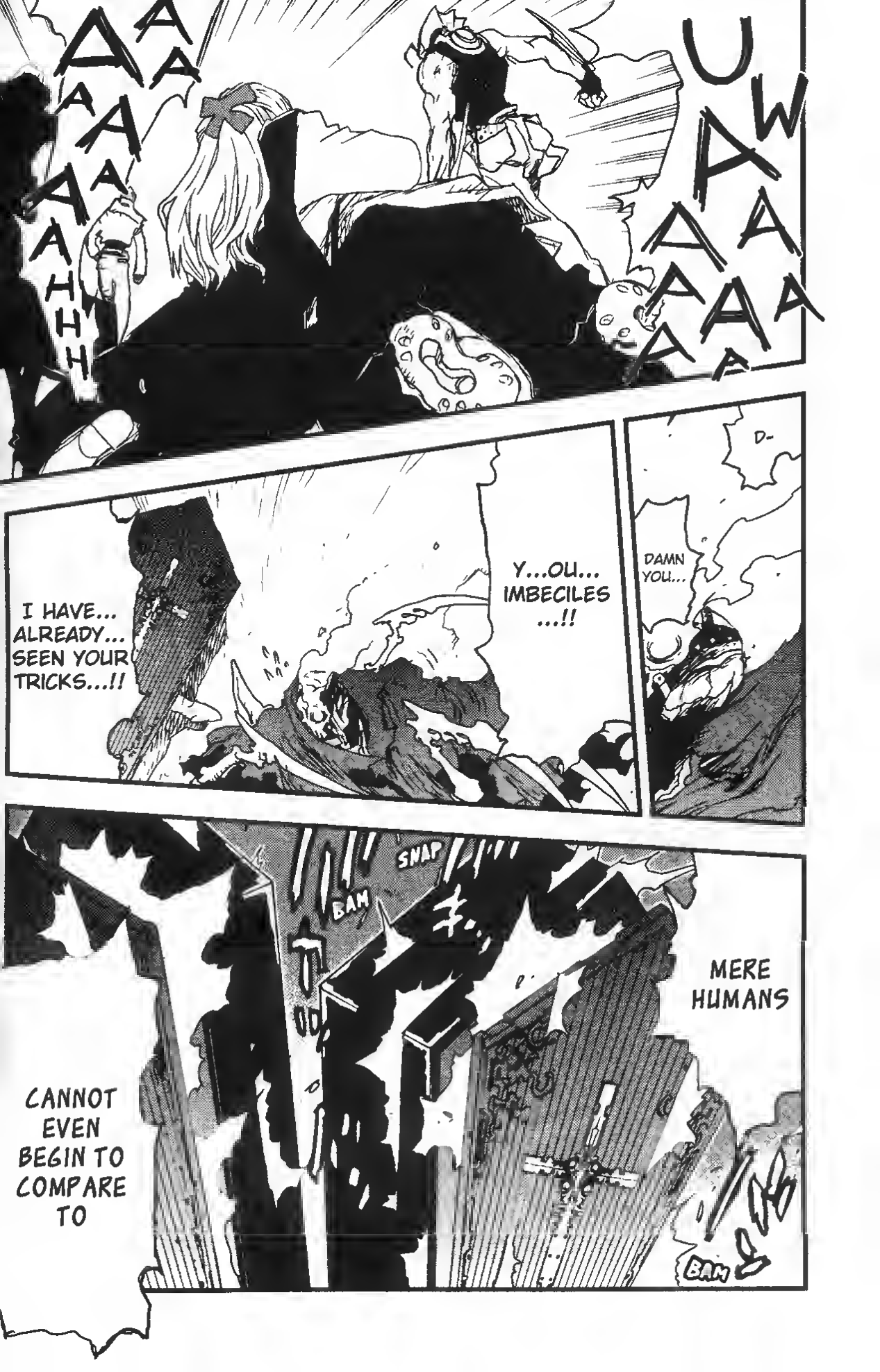
AS LONG AS ONE CAN FACE THE LIGHT

AND TAKE
EVEN A SINGLE STEP TOWARDS IT

WHAM
THUD
THUD
THUD
THUD
Y-
UH
GAH
GUH
YOU...
BRUTES
...

BIG BRO-THER...!!
...THESE PEOPLE ARE...!!

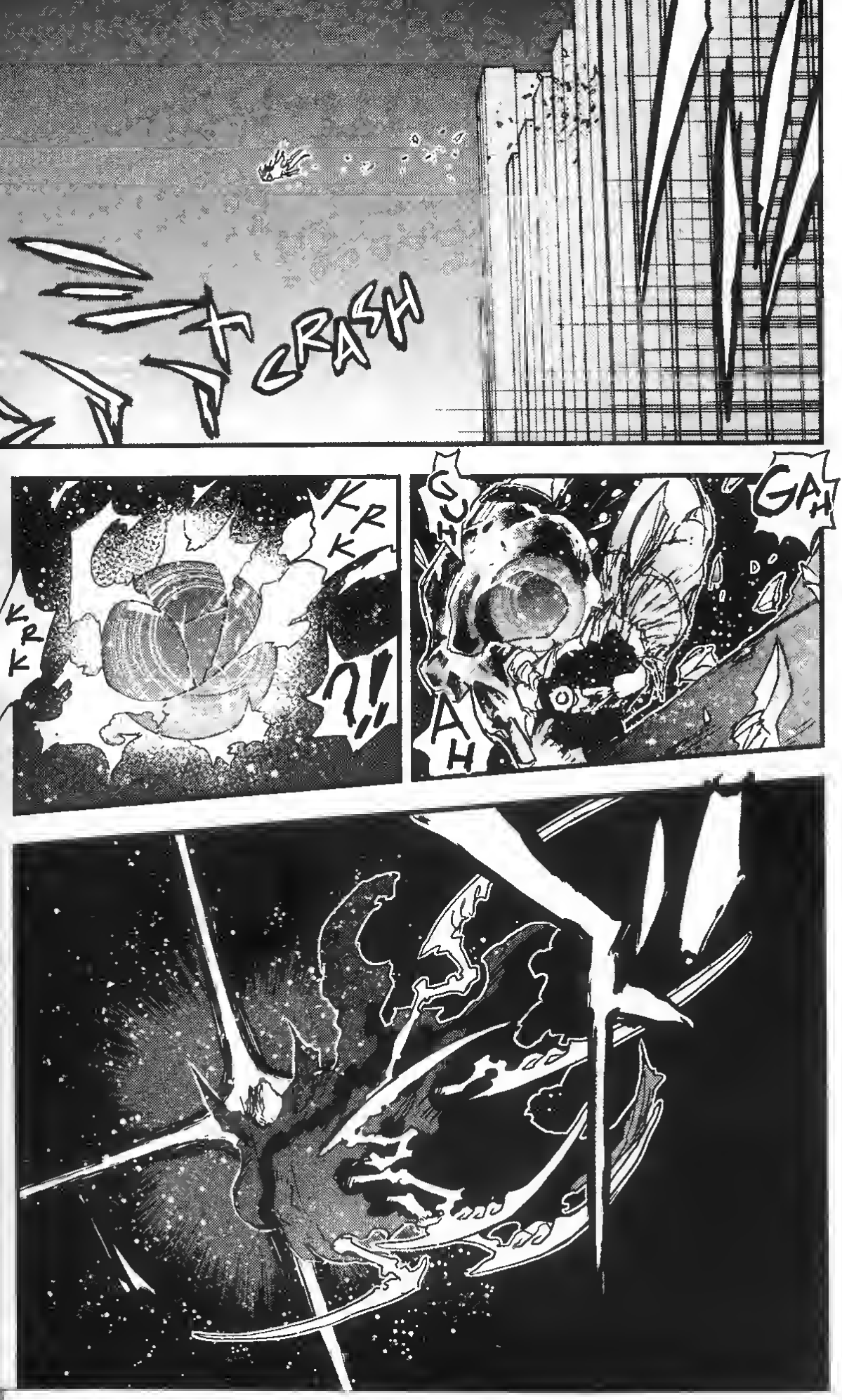
squeeze


AAAAAAAAHHH
UWAAAAAAA
I HAVE... ALREADY... SEEN YOUR TRICKS...!!
Y...OU... IMBECILES ...!!
D-
DAMN YOU...
BAM
SNAP
MERE HUMANS
BAM
CANNOT EVEN BEGIN TO COMPARE TO

ESMERALDA BLOOD FREEZE
954 BLOOD BULLET ARTS
BIG DIPPER STYLE BLOOD TECHNIQUE
FROM THE GODS THEMSELVES...!!
DIVINE CREATIONS

POW

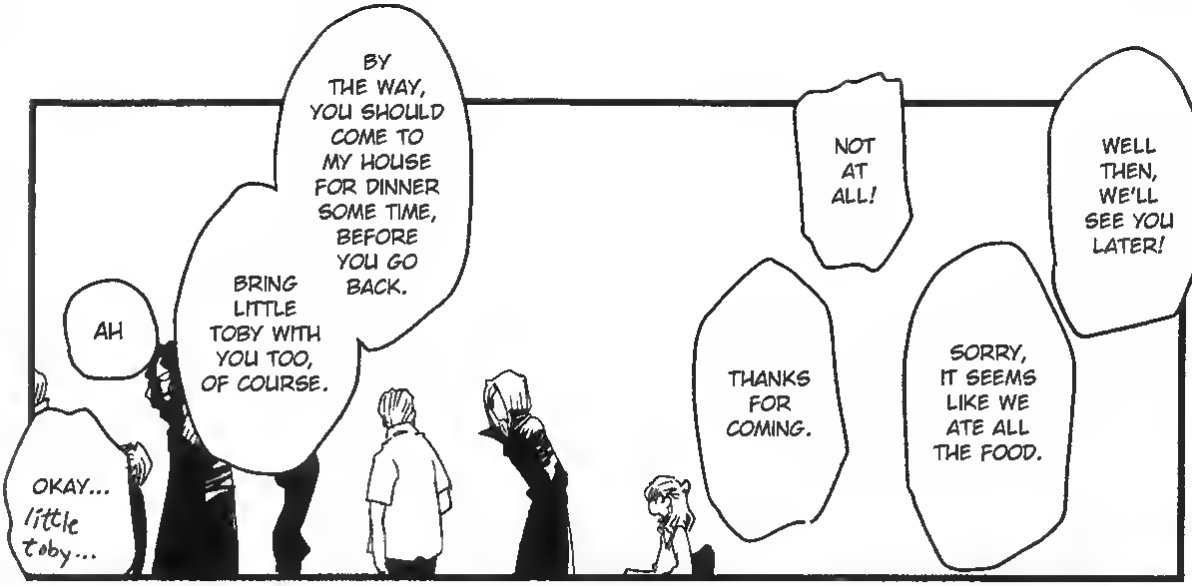
CRUMBLE
CRUMBLE
CRUMBLE

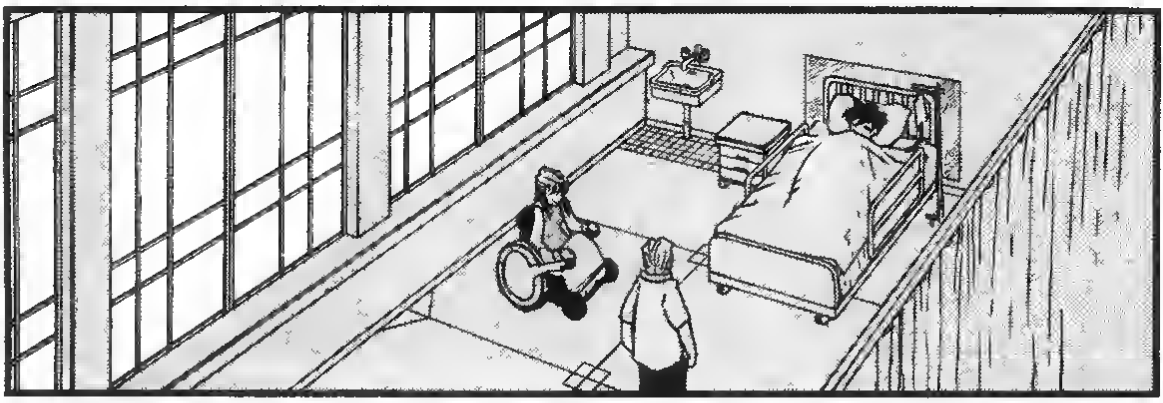

CRASH
KRK
KRK
?!!
GAH
GAH

BOOM

HELLO,
MICHELLA.

IT'S TRUE, SHE'S ONLY TELLING YOU IT'S INTERESTING OUT OF PITY.
WHAT WAS THAT, POOCH!?
SERIO-USLY!?
HAHAHA, MOST PEOPLE WOULDN'T BOTHER.
HUH?
I'LL SAY. IS THAT REALLY ANYTHING TO BRAG ABOUT?
AH WELL, IT'S NOTHING, REALLY.
AHAHA, THAT'S SO NEAT, ZAPP.


BY THE WAY, YOU SHOULD COME TO MY HOUSE FOR DINNER SOME TIME, BEFORE YOU GO BACK.
BRING LITTLE TOBY WITH YOU TOO, OF COURSE.
AH
OKAY... little toby...
NOT AT ALL!
THANKS FOR COMING.
WELL THEN, WE'LL SEE YOU LATER!
SORRY, IT SEEMS LIKE WE ATE ALL THE FOOD.



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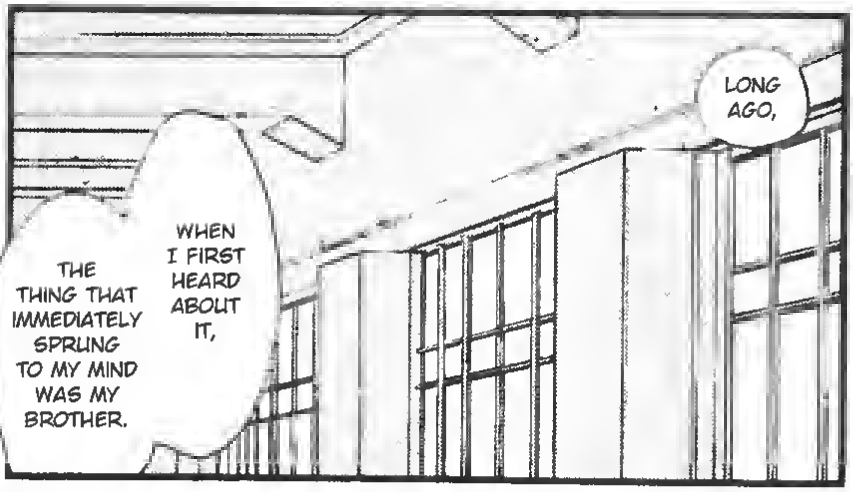
CLICK
MR. KLAUS!
HELLO.
HOW IS IT?
IS HE DOING ALRIGHT?

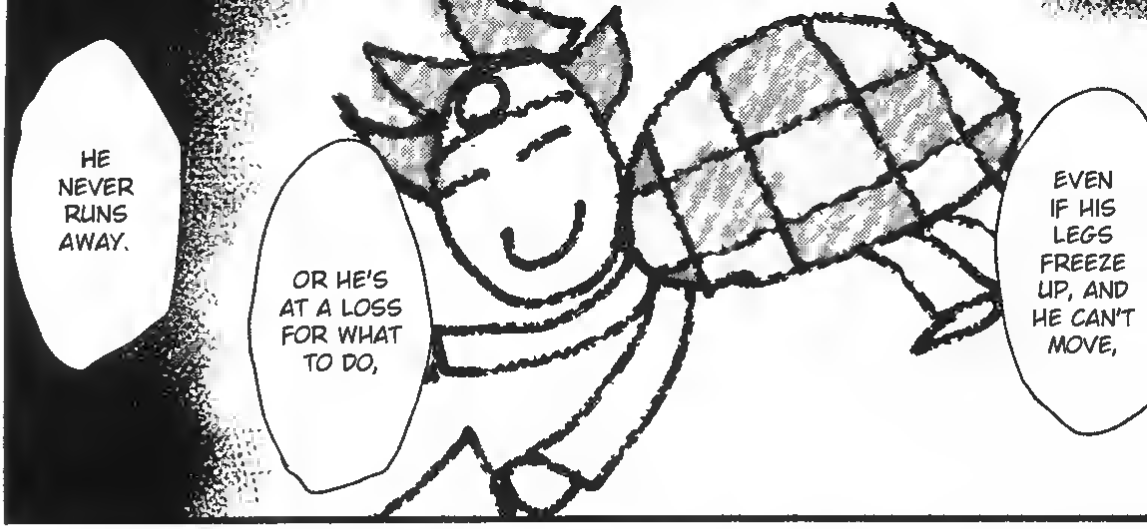
SOME-TIMES HE'LL WAKE UP, BUT...
HE FALLS BACK ASLEEP PRETTY QUICKLY.
THAT'S ONLY NATURAL,
AFTER HE FOUGHT SO HARD.

IF HE HAD YIELDED FOR EVEN AN INSTANT,
THERE WOULD HAVE BEEN NO HOPE FOR VICTORY.

.....
DID YOU KNOW?

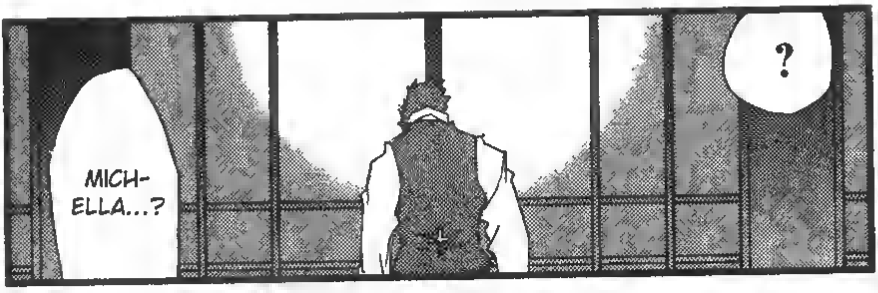

LONG AGO,
WHEN I FIRST HEARD ABOUT IT,
THE THING THAT IMMEDIATELY SPRUNG TO MY MIND WAS MY BROTHER.

THE WAY A TORTOISE IS STRUCTURED PREVENTS THEM FROM MOVING BACKWARDS.


HE NEVER RUNS AWAY.
OR HE'S AT A LOSS FOR WHAT TO DO,
EVEN IF HIS LEGS FREEZE UP, AND HE CAN'T MOVE,

MY TORTOISE KNIGHT.
HE'LL CURL UP AND ENDURE, UNTIL THE MOMENT WHEN HE CAN TAKE A STEP FORWARD.

TAKE CARE OF MY BRO-THER...!!
MR. KLAUS,
...PLEASE,


MICH-
ELLA...?
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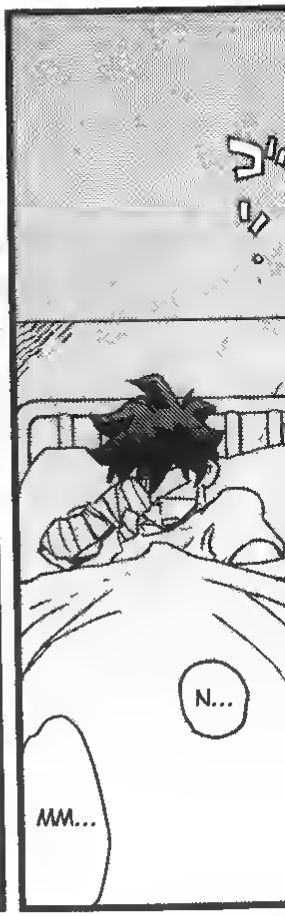
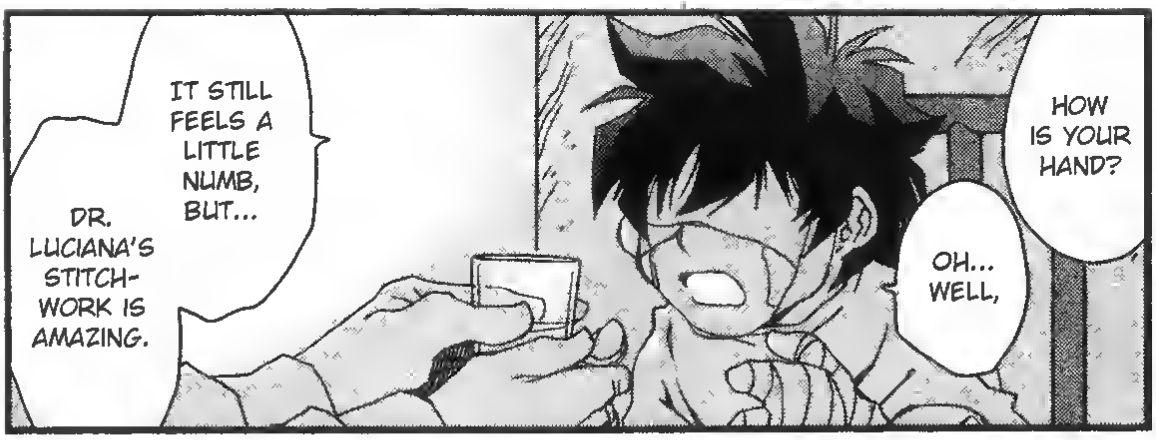

N...
MM...

IT
WOULD
SEEM
YOU'RE
FEELING
BETTER?

IT APPEARS YOU GOT PLENTY OF REST.
I LET YOUR SISTER RETURN TO THE HOTEL FOR NOW.
I'M SORRY ...!!
UM
AH
K-
KLAUS ...!?


IT STILL FEELS A LITTLE NUMB, BUT...
DR. LUCIANA'S STITCH-WORK IS AMAZING.
HOW IS YOUR HAND?
OH... WELL,

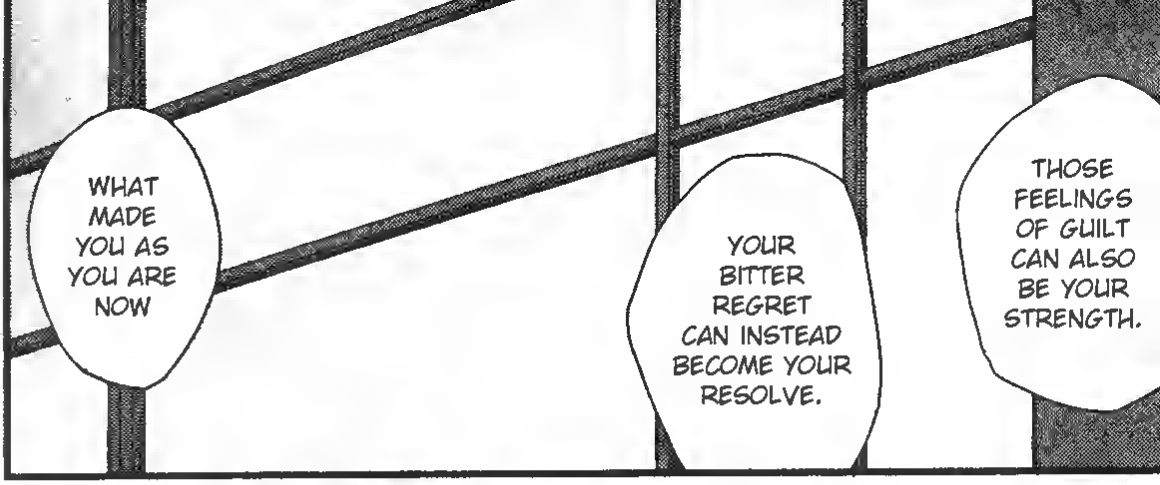
...YOU TRULY
FOUGHT WELL.
Ahhh, this is a perfectly clean cut.
It should be no problem to fix up.

DO YOU REMEMBER
THE DAY WE FIRST MET?

IT'S UNDERSTANDABLE
FOR WHAT HAPPENED TO HAUNT YOUR THOUGHTS AND GIVE YOU SUCH HEARTACHE.

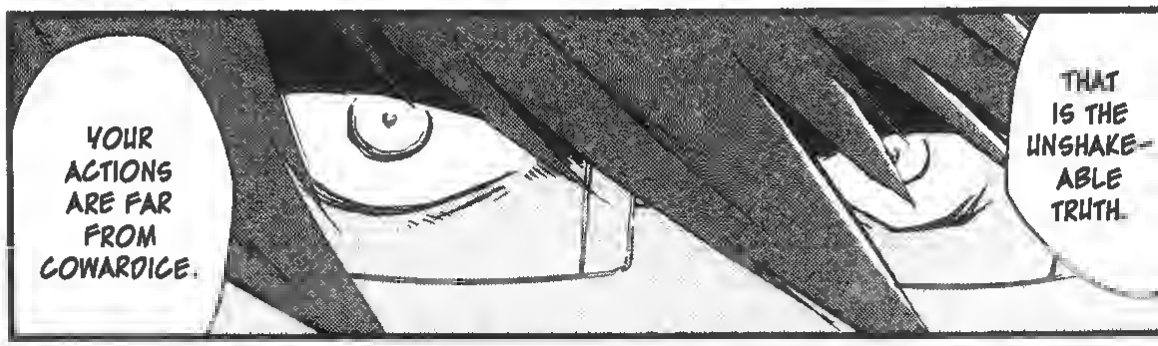
BACK THEN,
YOU CALLED YOURSELF A COWARD.

BUT,
CAN'T YOU THINK OF IT THIS WAY?


WHAT MADE YOU AS YOU ARE NOW
YOUR BITTER REGRET CAN INSTEAD BECOME YOUR RESOLVE.
THOSE FEELINGS OF GUILT CAN ALSO BE YOUR STRENGTH.

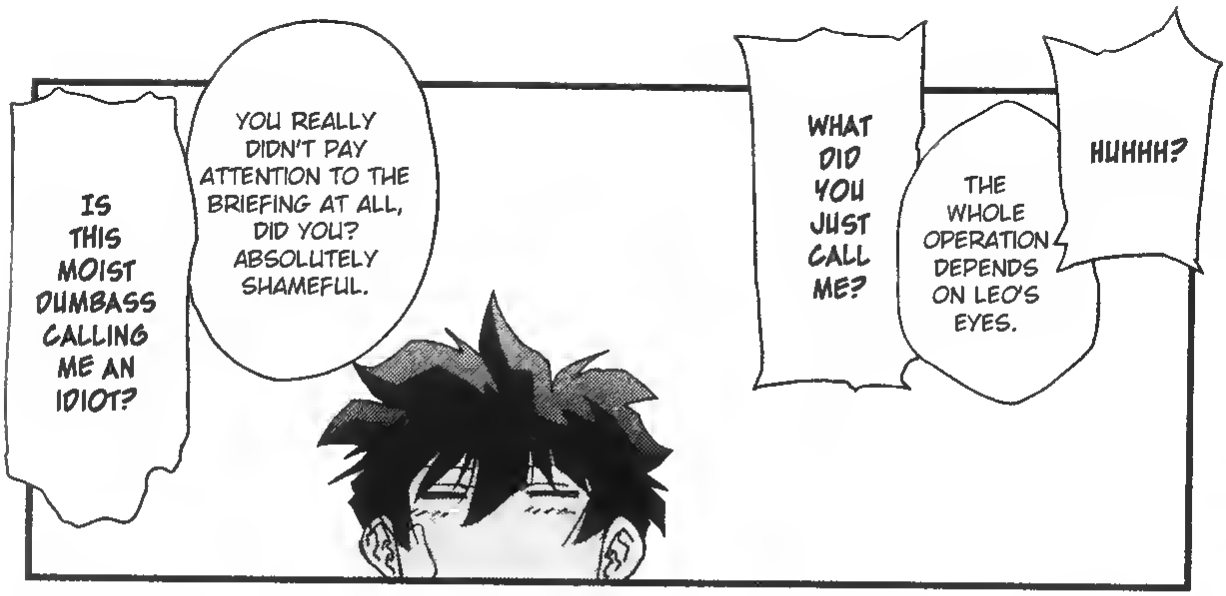
I felt it squeeze.
WAS THE DEFEAT OF THAT DAY.

AND EVEN HUMANITY.
YOUR ALLIES,
THAT STRENGTH HAS SAVED
YOUR SISTER,

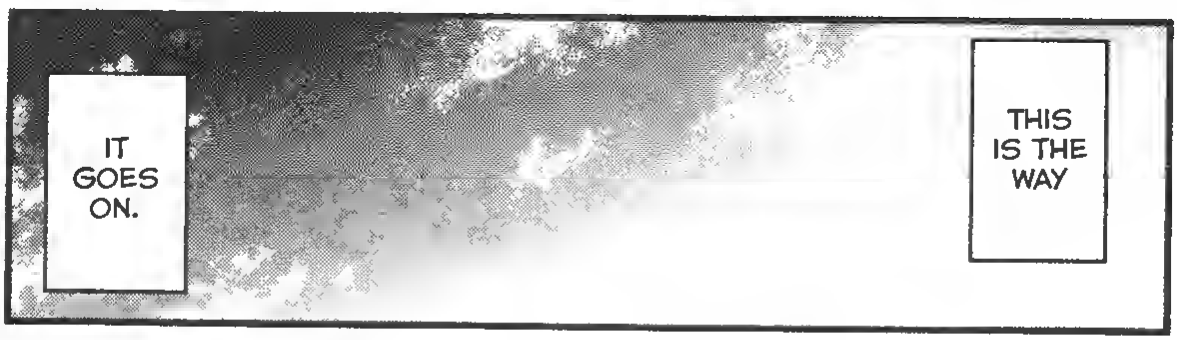

YOUR ACTIONS ARE FAR FROM COWARDICE.
THAT IS THE UNSHAKE-ABLE TRUTH.

BE PROUD OF YOUR-SELF, LEO-NARDO WATCH.
AND I
AM PROUD OF YOU AS WELL.

WHY DIDN'T YOU GO TO SAY GOOD-BYE?
WHAT'S UP WITH YOU?
VMM
DROP DEAD.
YOU AND YOUR COLD-BLOODED SQUINTY EYES. JUST THE WORST.
SO COLD!
HUH?
I DON'T HAVE TIME TO GO TO THE AIRPORT!
WE'RE SUPPOSED TO INFILTRATE THE GAUCHONNE MANSION TODAY, AREN'T WE?
HONESTLY, WHO'S THE REAL IDIOT HERE?
YOU THINK WE CAN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU?
GRM GRM GRM
IT'S FINE, YOU IDIOT. YOU SHRIMP. SIR KING PUBE-HAIR.


IS THIS MOIST DUMBASS CALLING ME AN IDIOT?
YOU REALLY DIDN'T PAY ATTENTION TO THE BRIEFING AT ALL, DID YOU? ABSOLUTELY SHAMEFUL.
WHAT DID YOU JUST CALL ME?
THE WHOLE OPERATION DEPENDS ON LEO'S EYES.
HUHHH?

Fine whatever just do whatever you want
That only demon strates how narrow your world-view is
JUST LIKE ALWAYS.
Are you serious?!?! You're really trying to lecture me?! Me, your superior?! The end times must be upon us if you think I'm about to take that from a shitty Gill-Breather like you!
REEE
REEE
Keep relying purely on instinct and never thinking before you act the way you always do, and it's going to be the death of you one of these days!
That wasn't a compliment
Yes, moist-ure is cer-tainly impor-tant
AHHH,


IT GOES ON.
THIS IS THE WAY

HURRY UP,
LEO!!
COME ON!!
LET'S GET GOING!!

OKAY!
TOMOR-
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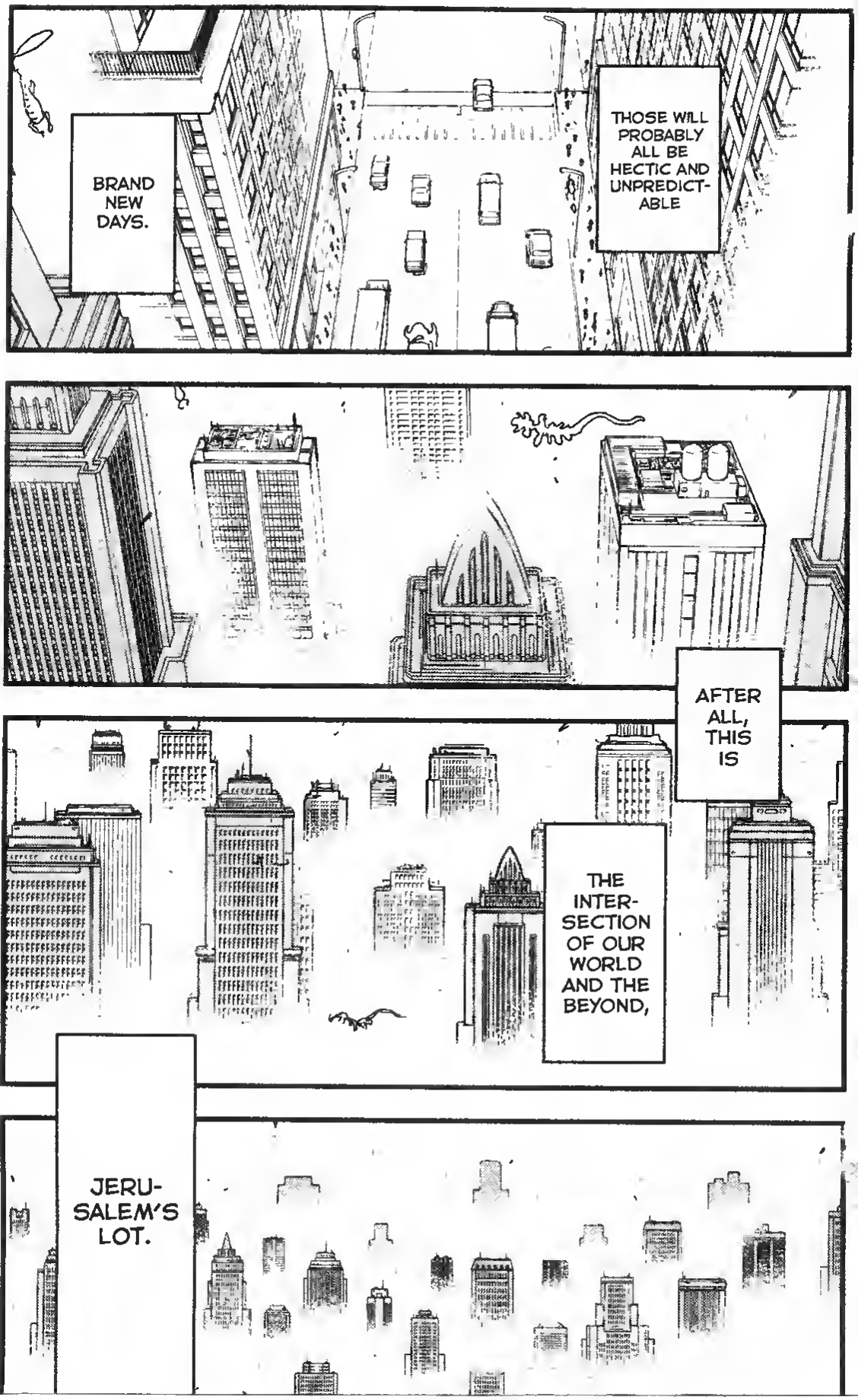
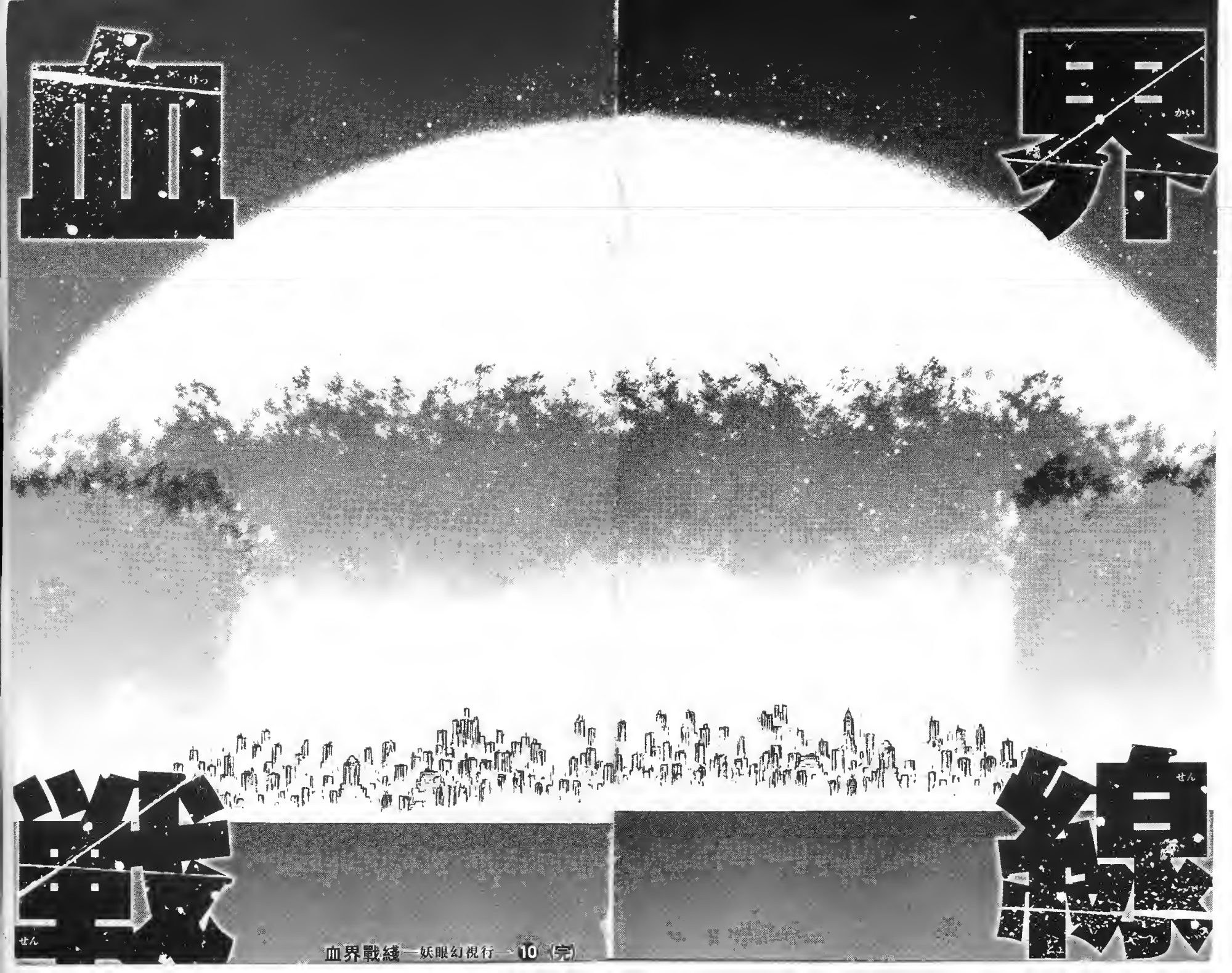
TODAY
THE
DAY
AFTER


BRAND NEW DAYS.
THOSE WILL PROBABLY ALL BE HECTIC AND UNPREDICT-ABLE
AFTER ALL, THIS IS
THE INTER-SECTION OF OUR WORLD AND THE BEYOND,
JERU-SALEM'S LOT.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